



SMALL GRAINS & STOCKS

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2010 Kansas Wheat Production Down 3 Percent from 2009

Kansas **wheat** production for 2010 is estimated at 360.0 million bushels, down 2 percent from the August forecast and down 3 percent from 2009. Yield is estimated at 45 bushels per acre, unchanged from the August forecast but 3 bushels above last year. This is the highest yield since 2003 and the fifth highest on record. Acres harvested for grain totaled 8.0 million, down 2 percent from the previous forecast and down 9 percent from 2009. A total of 8.4 million acres were planted to wheat in the fall of 2009, down 2 percent from the June acreage report and 10 percent below last year. These are the lowest planted and harvested acreages since 1957. The abnormally wet fall and late harvest of row crops kept some farmers from planting wheat.

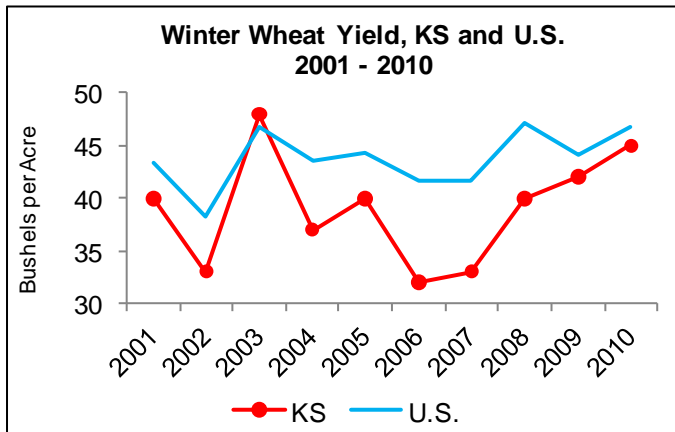
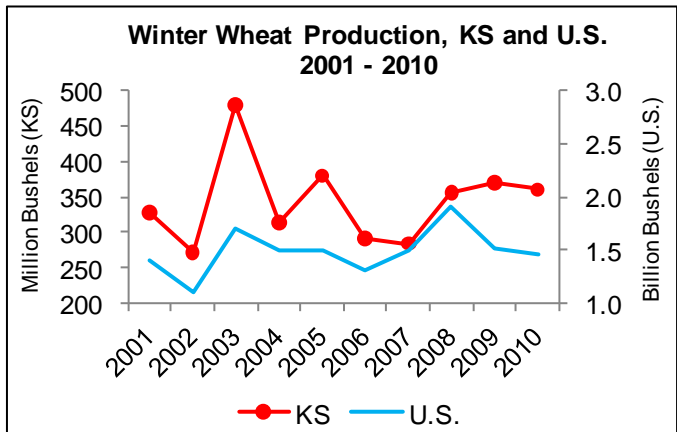
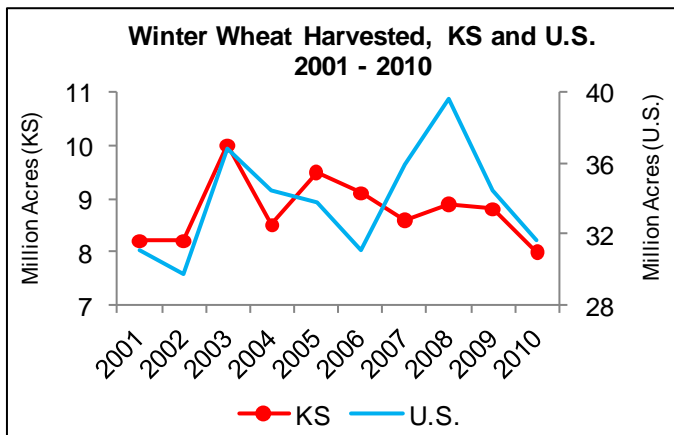
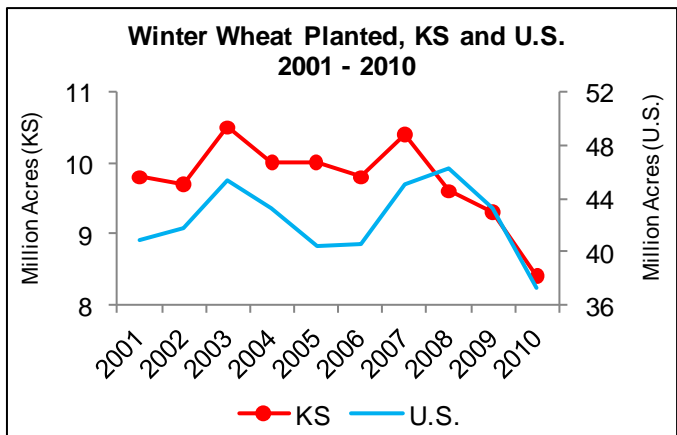
Oat production, at 1.25 million bushels in 2010, is down 33 percent from 2009. Yield is estimated at 50 bushels per acre, down 3 bushels from last year. Grain was harvested from 25,000 of the 65,000 acres planted to oats in Kansas. The harvested area is tied with 2008 for the lowest on record.

Barley production totaled 301,000 bushels for 2010, down 34 percent from the 2009 crop. Yields averaged 43 bushels per acre, 8 bushels lower than last year. Grain was harvested from 7,000 of the 10,000 acres planted to barley.

Small Grain Production, 2009 - 2010

Crop	Area Planted ¹		Area Harvested		Yield		Production	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
	1,000 Acres				Bushels Per Acre		1,000 Bushels	
Kansas								
Winter Wheat	9,300	8,400	8,800	8,000	42	45	369,600	360,000
Oats	85	65	35	25	53	50	1,855	1,250
Barley	14	10	9	7	51	43	459	301
United States								
All Wheat	59,168	53,603	49,893	47,657	44.5	46.7	2,218,061	2,223,523
Winter Wheat	43,346	37,335	34,510	31,749	44.2	46.8	1,524,608	1,485,236
Oats	3,404	3,138	1,379	1,268	67.5	64.6	93,081	81,855
Barley	3,567	2,872	3,113	2,471	73.0	73.6	227,323	181,884

¹ Planted for all purposes.





Kansas Grain Stocks

Kansas **wheat** stocks in all positions totaled 400.5 million bushels on September 1, up 14 percent from last September. This is the largest amount of September 1 wheat stocks since 1987. Wheat stored in off-farm locations (mills, elevators, warehouses, and processors) totaled 368.5 million bushels, which accounts for 92 percent of the total. On-farm wheat stocks were 32 million bushels, unchanged from last September.

Kansas old crop **corn** stocks in all locations, at 70.7 million bushels, were down 60 percent from June 2010, and 10 percent lower than last September. Off-farm stocks, at 57.7 million bushels, account for 82 percent of the total corn stocks. On-farm stocks, at 13.0 million bushels, were down 28 percent from the 2009 September stocks.

Old crop **grain sorghum** in all positions totaled 22.0 million bushels, down 57 percent from June 2010, and 22 percent less than a year ago. Off-farm stocks totaled 19.3 million bushels and on-farm stocks totaled 2.7 million bushels.

Kansas old crop **soybeans** in all locations totaled 4.6 million bushels, down 75 percent from June and down 1 percent from the September 2009 level. Off-farm stocks, at 3.6 million bushels, accounted for 78 percent of the total soybean stocks. On-farm stocks, at 1.0 million bushels, were down from 1.4 million last year.

Off-farm **oat** stocks totaled 383,000 bushels, 43 percent lower than September 2009. Stocks of **barley** in off-farm facilities totaled 19,000 bushels, down 1,000 bushels from last September.

Grain Stocks – September 1, 2010, with Comparisons, Kansas and United States

Crop	Date	Kansas			United States		
		On Farms	Off Farms ¹	Total All Positions	On Farms	Off Farms ¹	Total All Positions
		1,000 bushels			1,000 bushels		
All Wheat	September 1, 2010	32,000	368,478	400,478	826,000	1,632,849	2,458,849
	June 1, 2010	6,300	152,407	158,707	209,900	765,737	975,637
	September 1, 2009	32,000	318,952	350,952	836,000	1,373,338	2,209,338
Corn	September 1, 2010	13,000	57,672	70,672	485,100	1,222,466	1,707,566
	June 1, 2010	44,000	130,996	174,996	2,131,400	2,178,671	4,310,071
	September 1, 2009	18,000	60,286	78,286	607,500	1,065,811	1,673,311
Sorghum	September 1, 2010	2,700	19,331	22,031	4,500	36,741	41,241
	June 1, 2010	6,300	45,125	51,425	10,700	77,162	87,862
	September 1, 2009	2,300	25,844	28,144	4,400	50,312	54,712
Soybeans	September 1, 2010	1,000	3,559	4,559	35,400	115,721	151,121
	June 1, 2010	5,800	12,387	18,187	232,600	338,523	571,123
	September 1, 2009	1,400	3,205	4,605	35,100	103,098	138,198
Oats	September 1, 2010	*	383	*	46,750	70,698	117,448
	June 1, 2010	*	243	*	17,600	62,716	80,316
	September 1, 2009	*	670	*	54,500	73,875	128,375
Barley	September 1, 2010	*	19	*	126,570	98,424	224,994
	June 1, 2010	*	8	*	40,440	75,059	115,499
	September 1, 2009	*	20	*	154,050	85,414	239,464

¹ Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors. * Data not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

An audio summary of this report will be available at:
http://www.nass.usda.gov/Statistics_by_State/Kansas/Publications/Crops/Production/index.asp